

Comprehensive Support Service Directory

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About this Document

The Comprehensive Support Service Directory is tool for NetworkRI staff and other workforce development network partners to locate and connect with support services and service providers throughout Rhode Island. The directory is designed to help staff locate a particular service or support based on a customer's need. While not an exhaustive list of all providers or services, the Governor's Workforce Board of Rhode Island hopes this directory assists NetworkRI staff in better serving their job seeker customers and helps provide a more complete picture of what services are available in the region.

The directory was developed in partnership with the United Way of Rhode Island 211 Service. This document is maintained electronically and will be periodically updated and revised on the Governor's Workforce Board website at: <http://gwb.ri.gov/workforce-partner-resources>.



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PLEASE HELP US KEEP THIS DIRECTORY UP TO DATE

While the State Workforce Development Board will strive to keep this document up to date and notify NetworkRI partners of updates or re-issues; we ask that any staff who becomes aware of any change relating to the programs contained in this directory, please notify the Board by emailing: DLT.GWBINFO@DLT.RI.GOV . Thank you!

OTHER RESOURCES

<http://riresourcehub.org/>

The RI Resource Hub is a comprehensive online directory of education and career resources for Rhode Islanders. Whether you are looking for jobs, classes, training programs, or career development, the RI Resource Hub and its online tools can help you find it.

<https://uwri.org/get-help-2-1-1/>

The United Way of Rhode Island 2-1-1 program is a free and confidential resource for assistance with housing, food, childcare—and other needs. Specialists are available for you 24-hours a day, 365 days a year.



Comprehensive Services – Community Action Programs/Agencies

Community Action Agencies/Programs help individuals and families make progress toward achieving self-sufficiency. These organizations are located throughout the state and offer a wide range of help and assistance. Typical services may include, but are not limited to:

- Homelessness prevention
- Fuel assistance
- Emergency food assistance
- Head Start, and early education and care programs
- Senior services and youth programs
- Workforce development, job training, and education
- Access to and training in information technology
- Asset formation, protection, and retention

A full list of Rhode Island's CAP can be viewed at: <https://www.ricommunityaction.org/>

Blackstone Valley Community Action Program

32 Goff Avenue, Pawtucket, RI 02860

401-723-4520

www.bvcap.org

Communities Served: Pawtucket, Central Falls, Lincoln, Cumberland, Woonsocket

Community Action Partnership of Providence

518 Hartford Avenue, Providence, RI 02909

401-273-2000

www.cappri.org

Communities Served: Providence

Community Care Alliance

PO Box 1700, Woonsocket, RI 02895

401-235-7000

www.CommunityCareRI.org

Communities Served: Woonsocket

Comprehensive Community Action

311 Doric Avenue, Cranston, RI 02910

401-467-9610

www.comcap.org

Communities Served: Cranston, Foster, Scituate, Coventry

Eastbay Community Action - Lower Bay Region

19 Broadway, Newport, Rhode Island 02840

401- 847-7821

www.ebcap.org

Communities Served: Newport, Portsmouth, Tiverton, Middletown, Jamestown, Little Compton

Eastbay Community Action - Upper Bay Region

100 Bullocks Point Avenue, Riverside, RI 02915

401-437-1000

www.ebcap.org

Communities Served: East Providence, Warren, Bristol, Barrington

Tri-County Community Action Agency - Northern Region

1126 Hartford Avenue, Johnston, RI 02919

401-351-2750

www.tricountyri.org

Communities Served: North Providence, Johnston, North Smithfield, Smithfield, Burrillville, Glocester

Tri-County Community Action Agency - Southern Region

1935 Kingstown Road, Wakefield, RI 02879

401-789-3016

www.tricountyri.org

Communities Served: Exeter, Charlestown, Narragansett, Westerly, Hopkinton, North Kingstown, South Kingstown, Richmond, West Greenwich, New Shoreham

Westbay Community Action Partnership

224 Buttonwoods Avenue, Warwick, RI 02886-7558

401-732-4660

www.westbaycap.org

Communities Served: Warwick, West Warwick, East Greenwich



Child Care Assistance Program

Department of Human Services

<http://www.dhs.ri.gov/Programs/index.php>

P.O. Box 8709, Cranston, RI 02920-8787

1-855-MY-RIDHS (697-4347)

Mon-Fri 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM



- Childcare Subsidy
- Financial Assistance

The CCAP can subsidize the cost of child care for families that are residents of Rhode Island. CCAP is available for children who are US citizens or legal residents and under age 13. The age can be extended to 18 if the child has special needs. CCAP is available to parents who are working 20 hours/week or participating in short-term training. Income limits apply.

Children's Friend and Service

Children's Friend, contact

Malia Goodwin, Family Development Manager

(401) 752-7500 or by email at

mgoodwin@cfsri.org



- Early Childhood
- Early Learning
- Education

Head Start services at Children's Friend contact

the enrollment team at (401) 752-7500 or email at

headstart@cfsri.org | <http://www.cfsri.org/>

153 Summer Street Providence, RI 02903

401-276-4300 email: info@cfsri.org

Early Head Start

- Early Head Start is a unique early childhood program that works in partnership with parents to make sure young children have the best possible start in life.
- Pregnant woman and/or expectant fathers
- Families with a child or children newborn to three years old
- Families must meet income guidelines

Head Start

- Head Start is a comprehensive child and family development program that promotes school readiness in low-income preschool children.
- Families living in Providence, Pawtucket, Central Falls, Cumberland and Lincoln
- Children ages 3 – 5 years of age.
- Children with disabilities.
- Homeless children.
- Families must meet income guidelines.



Comprehensive Community Action Childcare Program

Child Development Center (Atwood)
848 Atwood Avenue • Cranston • RI 02920
401.943.5160
Hours: Mon -Fri, 7:00 am - 5:30 pm

- Early Childhood
- Early Learning
- Education

Child Development Center (Pastore)
155 Gansett Avenue • Cranston • RI 02910
401.275.5808
Hours: Mon -Fri, 7:00 am - 5:30 pm

Child Development Center (Edgewood)
178 Norwood Avenue • Cranston • RI 02905
401.467.5196
Hours: Mon -Fri, 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

CCAP offers programs for children and their parents that focus on early childhood education and development, mental and physical health, safety, nutrition, family engagement, and parenting.

The Head Start program promotes school readiness by enhancing the social and cognitive development of children through the provision of educational, health, nutritional, social and other services to enrolled children and families.

DCYF – Childcare Provider Directory

101 Friendship Street
Providence, RI 02903-3716
(401) 528 – 3502
Mon – Fri 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

- Locate a childcare provider in your area

http://www.dcyf.ri.gov/child_care_provider.php



NOTE: Many community organizations and nonprofits offer clothing assistance. Below are only a few locations based on each NetworkRI career center's location.

Clothing Collaborative, A Program of Dorcas International Institute of Rhode Island

645 Elmwood Avenue
Providence, RI 02907
(401) 784-8663

Clothing bank and professional attire.

Comprehensive Community Action Program

311 Doric Avenue
Cranston, RI 02910
(401) 467-9610

Clothing bank and professional attire.

River United Methodist Church - Burrillville Campus

185 Joslin Road
Burrillville, RI 02826
(401) 568-5373

Clothing bank and professional attire.

Jonnycake Center of Peace Dale

1231 Kingstown Road
Peace Dale, RI 02879
(401) 789-1559

Clothing bank and professional attire.



Department of Human Services – Office of Rehabilitative Services

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<http://www.ors.ri.gov/>

40 Fountain Street

Providence, RI 02903

401.421.7005 (V)

401.462-7791 (Espanol)

The Office of Rehabilitative Services assists people with physical, learning, or emotional disabilities to choose employment goals and find employment. The helps individuals prepare for work and works with them until they find and keep a job.



- Employment counseling and guidance for disabled persons
- Employment supports
- Access to support services and programs

J Arthur Trudeau Memorial Center

<http://www.trudeaucenter.org/>

3445 Post Road Warwick RI 02886

401-739-2700

Provides services for about 1,200 children and adults with developmental disabilities and their families. Includes Early Intervention, home based children's services, respite care, family support, Supported Employment, Vocational and Job Placement and Evaluation Services for Adults, Day Habilitation Services, Residential and Community Living, and Recreation Services. Can also provide integrated child care and kindergarten services and services for elderly folks with developmental disabilities.



- Early intervention programs
- Family supports
- Job training and support
- Day Programs
- Shared living programs

Rhode Island Community Living and Supports

<http://www.bhddh.ri.gov/riclas/index.php>

6 Harrington Road Cranston, RI 02920

(401) 462 – 2180 / (401) 462 – 2796

email: erin.perron@bhddh.ri.gov

RICLAS supports adult men and women in a variety of homes, apartments, and day support services throughout the state.



- Direct Support services
- Nursing services
- Psychological services
- Social services
- Nutrition service



Rhode Island Governor's Commission on Disability

<http://www.gcd.ri.gov/>
 41 Cherry Dale Court Cranston, RI 02920-3049
 (401) 462 – 0100 | Fax: (401) 462 – 0106
 Email: GCD.disabilities@gcd.ri.gov

- Advocacy
- Support
- Reporting of issues/concerns

The Commission's purpose is to ensure that all people with disabilities are afforded the opportunity to exercise all the rights and responsibilities accorded to citizens of Rhode Island and that each person with a disability is able to reach his/her maximum potential for independence, human development, productivity and self-sufficiency.

Social Security Administration

<https://www.ssa.gov/benefits/disability/>
 1 Empire Street Providence, RI 02903
 1 (800) 772 – 1213 / 1 (877) 401 – 0808
 Mon – Fri 9:00AM – 4:00PM

- Income Supports
- Financial Assistance

Provides income for individuals and their families as partial replacement of earnings lost because of old age retirement, disability or death. Benefits and benefit amounts are dependent on contributions and past earnings of covered workers and their employers. Administers SSI program for persons 65 and over; 65 and under if blind or disabled.

TechACCESS of Rhode Island

<http://www.techaccess-ri.org/>
 161 Comstock Parkway Cranston, RI 02921
 (401) 463 – 0202
 Fax: (401) 463 – 3433
 Email: techaccess@techaccess-ri.org

- Assistive Technology
- Financial assistance by ORS referral

TechACCESS works with all ages and disabilities providing information, referral and hands on demonstrations on assisted technology. Program accepts some private insurances and Medicaid, as well as Self-pay options. Financial assistance available by Office of Rehabilitative Services referral.



The POINT- Rhode Island's Aging and Disability Resource Center

<https://uwri.org/get-help-2-1-1/the-point/>
50 Valley Street Providence RI 02909
(401) 462 – 4444
Mon, Wed & Fri 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM
Tue & Thu 8:30 AM – 8:00 PM
Sat 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM



- Referral Information
- Guidance and Support
- Seniors, disabled adults, and their caregivers

Provides information, referrals, and help getting started with programs and services for seniors, adults with disabilities, and their caregivers, in partnership with United Way 211.

Ocean State Center for Independent Living

1944 Warwick Avenue Warwick RI, 02889
(401) 738 – 1013
<http://www.oscil.org/>
Mon – Fri 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM



- Peer support
- Assistive Technology
- Independent living training
- Access to nursing care

Provides peer support, home access and assistive technology, independent living skills training, nursing home transition program, housing and advocacy. Information/referral for individuals who have a disability in order to enable them to achieve their fullest level of independence. Deaf services. Fosters community awareness and education through outreach programs. One to one peer support for visually impaired, deaf and amputees.

Paul V. Sherlock Center on Disabilities

Paul V. Sherlock Center on Disabilities- Rhode Island College
600 Mt. Pleasant Avenue
Providence, RI 02908-1991
<http://www.ric.edu/sherlockcenter/>
Voice: (401) 456-8072
TTY via RI Relay: 711 or (800) 745-5555
Spanish via RI Relay: 711 or (866) 355-9241



- Early Childhood and Education
- Transition, Employment and Adult Life
- Low Incidence Disabilities
- Self-Determination
- Inclusion
- Workforce Development

The Sherlock Center partners with state and national agencies, schools, institutes of higher education and community providers to offer interdisciplinary pre-service and community education, technical assistance, service, research and information to promote membership of individuals with disabilities in school, work and the community.



Blackstone Valley Advocacy Center

<http://www.bvadvocacycenter.org>
 P. O. Box 5643 Pawtucket, RI 02860
 401-723 – 3057



- Counseling
- Support
- 24-hour hotline
- Housing assistance

BV Advocacy Center Domestic violence agency providing services to victims of abuse. Safe Home, 24-Hour Hotline, Court Program, Community Support Groups, Latina Advocacy Program, Transitional Housing Program, Community Awareness Programs, Delta Program, Safe Families Collaborative Project and the Elder Abuse Prevention Program. Handicapped-accessible.

Day One - Sexual Assault & Trauma Resource Center

<http://www.dayoneri.org>
 100 Medway Street Providence, RI 02906
 (401) 421 – 4100
 Mon – Fri 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM



- Counseling
- Support
- 24-hour hotline
- Legal assistance

Day One serves victims of sexual assault, domestic violence and other violent crimes. Day One provides treatment, intervention, education, advocacy, and prevention services to Rhode Islanders of all ages—from preschool children to elder adults. Comprehensive services include: 24-hour Victims of Crime Helpline, advocacy (including legal advocacy), Law enforcement advocacy programs, Individual and group counseling, Professional training sessions, and Prevention education workshops.

Destiny House

807 Broad Street RM 425
 Providence, RI 02907
 (401) 270 – 5320




- Counseling
- Support
- Focus on pregnant and parenting teens

Minority domestic violence advocacy and resource center for adolescents, pregnant and parenting teens and their families who are struggling with issues that may be related to their past or ongoing traumatic experiences.

Family Violence Intervention Program


941 Park Avenue
Cranston, RI 02910
401-941-3200

-  ➤ Domestic violence intervention
- Family education and supports.

Court ordered or voluntary domestic violence psycho/educational programs. Nineteen weekly groups/ 26 lessons, 5 facilitators in the areas of Cranston, Woonsocket and Narragansett.

Rhode Island Domestic Violence Hotline

<http://www.ricadv.org/en/>
1 (800) 494 – 8100

-  ➤ Emergency housing
- Support and Counseling
- Some legal services

Domestic violence shelters do not only offer safety emergency housing but they also offer support, counseling, advocacy, and some legal services as well.

Vantage Point, Inc

145 Washington St, West Warwick, RI 02893
(401) 615 – 0648


-  ➤ Support and Counseling

State certified Batterers Intervention Program



Bridgemark, Inc.


<http://www.bridgemark.org/>
2020 Elmwood Avenue
Warwick, RI 02888

-  ➤ Support and Counseling
- Domestic violence intervention
- Substance abuse counseling

Intervention and counseling in instance of substance-abuse related domestic violence.


Federal Hill House Association

<http://www.federalhillhouse.org/>
9 Courtland Street
Providence, RI 02909
(401) 421 – 4722

-  ➤ Emergency housing
- Support and Counseling
- Some legal services

House of Hope Community Development Corporation

<http://thehouseofhopecdc.org/>
3194 Post Road
Warwick, RI 02886
(401) 463 – 3324

-  ➤ Emergency housing
- Support and Counseling

House of Hope Community Development Corporation is a non-profit in Warwick, Rhode Island, with a mission to prevent and end homelessness in the state and end the personal and social trauma of homelessness.



Adoption Rhode Island

<http://adoptionri.org/>
290 West Exchange St., Suite 100
Providence, RI 02903
(401) 865 – 6000
Mon – Fri 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM
adoptionri@adoptionri.org



- Find families for children in state care
- Provides support to children and families
- Support, training, and advocacy

Adoption Rhode Island is dedicated to finding families for children in state care and supporting the safety, permanency and well-being of all foster and adopted children and families. Adoption Rhode Island provides child, youth and family support services, mental health, education, training, advocacy and referrals.

BrightStars

<http://www.brightstars.org/>
535 Centerville Rd #301
Warwick, RI 02886
(401) 739 – 6100
Toll Free 1 (855) 398 – 7605
Mon – Fri 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM



- Help parents find quality childcare, early learning
- Promote quality early learning throughout RI
- *See Childcare section for financial assistance*

Help families in Rhode Island access QUALITY child care, early learning, and school-age programs. Through our star rating system and professional development services, we help child care providers learn about best practices and apply them to the care children receive.

Children's Friend

<http://www.cfsri.org/>
153 summer street Providence, RI 02903
(401) 276 – 4300 Email: info@cfsri.org



- Help parents find quality childcare, early learning
- Promote quality early learning throughout RI
- *See Childcare section for financial assistance*

Provides child welfare, family support, mental health, counseling and child development services with centers in Providence, Pawtucket and Central Falls.



CareNet Pregnancy Center of Rhode Island

<http://harmonycareri.org/>
 35 Greenwich St, Providence, RI 02907
 (401) 941 – 4357
 Mon 10:00 AM
 Wed 12:00 PM – 8:00 PM
 Thu 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM



- Assistance for unplanned pregnancies
- Free pregnancy tests
- Support programs
- Treatment options and counseling

Serves women and men facing unplanned pregnancies. All services are confidential and free of charge. Offers free pregnancy testing, referrals for free ultrasounds, options counseling, parenting support and programs for men and women who have had abortions in their past.

Childhood Lead Action Project

<http://www.lead safekids.org/>
 1192 Westminster Street
 Providence, RI 02909
 (401) 785 – 1310



- Information about lead hazards
- Information about lead poisoning prevention resources
- Lead safety training

Childhood Lead Action Project works to eliminate childhood lead poisoning through education, parent support and advocacy. The project coordinates the Get the Lead Out Coalition (GLOC), a membership organization of environmental, housing, health, social service providers and advocates promoting public policy changes.

Department of Children, Youth and Families

http://www.dcyf.ri.gov/about_us.php
 101 Friendship Street
 Providence, RI 02903-3716
 (401) 528 – 3502
 Mon – Fri 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM



Connecting for Children & Families

<https://www.ccfcenter.org/>
46 Hope St, Woonsocket, RI 02895
(401) 766 – 3384
Mon – Fri 6:30 AM – 6:00 PM

- Family supports
- Education programs for children
- Social services
- Financial counseling

Focused on improving quality of family and community life in Woonsocket. Offers a wide range of family support initiatives, educational programs, and social services for inner-city children and their families that often reach our neighboring Northern Rhode Island towns and cities.

Department of Human Services (Children with Special Needs)

<http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/Consumer/FamilieswithChildren/ChildrenwithSpecialNeeds.aspx>
Mon – Fri 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM

Children with Special Needs, Health/Medical Services, CEDARR
Family Centers, Early Intervention Program, Katie Beckett

- Early invention services
- Medical/health services
- Education and development

Family Service of RI

<https://www.familyserviceri.org/>
134 Thurbers Ave # 102, Providence, RI 02905
(401) 331 – 1350
Mon – Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

- Early invention services
- Help for troubled children/families
- Parent education and counseling

Early Intervention, Healthy Families Rhode Island, Education, First Connections, Helping Troubled Kids, Helping Troubled Families, Helping Parents Help Their Kids, Foster Care & Adoption, AIDS Project RI, Client Rights and Responsibilities



J Arthur Trudeau Memorial Center

<http://www.trudeaucenter.org/>
3445 Post Road Warwick RI 02886
401-739-2700

Provides services for about 1,200 children and adults with developmental disabilities and their families. Includes Early Intervention, home based children's services, respite care, family support, Supported Employment, Vocational and Job Placement and Evaluation Services for Adults, Day Habilitation Services, Residential and Community Living, and Recreation Services. Can also provide integrated child care and kindergarten services and services for elderly folks with developmental disabilities.



- Early intervention programs
- Family supports
- Job training and support
- Day Programs
- Shared living programs

Rhode Island Family Guide

<https://www.rifamilyguide.com/>
P.O. Box 613, Wyoming, RI 02898
(401) 247-0850

Comprehensive information and options for all families in RI including child care, support groups and classes, services, adoption, foster care, immunizations, addiction, health care, insurance, hospitals, nutrition and weight loss, pregnancy and woman's health, safety (home, bike, car, water), schools and education, emergency information, and senior services, plus all of the family fun and opportunities throughout the state.



- Comprehensive guide for a range of family and parent supports

Rhode Island Parent Information Network

<http://www.ripin.org/>
1210 Pontiac Ave, Cranston, RI 02920
(401) 270 - 0101

RIPIN provides information, support, and training to help all Rhode Islanders become their own best advocate at school, in healthcare... and in all areas of life.



- Assistance, guidance, support for parents of special needs children in advocating at school, healthcare, elsewhere.



Rhode Island Department of Education

<http://www.ride.ri.gov/>
255 Westminster St, Providence, RI 02903
(401) 222 – 4600

The Autism Project

<http://www.theautismproject.org/>
1516 Atwood Ave, Johnston, RI 02919
(401) 785 – 2666

A comprehensive system of care and resources that meet the needs of children and adults with autism and their families including education, health, vocational, career, and social and community needs.



- Assistance, guidance, support for children and adults with autism and their families
- Access to care and resources



American Cancer Society - Southern New England Region

<https://www.cancer.org/>
931 Jefferson Boulevard Suite 3004
Warwick, RI 02886
1 (800) 277 – 2345
Mon – Fri 9:00 Am – 5:00 PM



- Financial Assistance and counseling
- Families facing cost of cancer treatment and care

Among other services, financial assistance and counseling for families facing the financial costs of cancer treatment and care.

American Red Cross of Rhode Island

<http://www.redcross.org/>
105 Gano Street Providence, RI 02906
(401) 831 - 7700
Mon – Fri 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM



- Financial Assistance and counseling
- Families whose hardship is a result of a natural disaster

Among other services, financial assistance, counseling, and guidance to support services for families whose hardship is brought about due to a natural disaster.

Capital Good Fund

22 A Street
Providence, RI 02907
Phone 866-584-3651
Fax 866-254-0219



- Affordable lending
- Financial coaching
- Low cost loans

Capital Good Fund is a nonprofit, certified Community Development Financial Institution offering small loans and personalized financial coaching to families in Rhode Island. Affordable loans designed to take the place of payday loans, buy-here-pay-here car financing, and rent-to-own pricing.



Episcopal Church of the Ascension

<http://www.ascensioncranston.org/>

390 Pontiac Avenue

Cranston, RI 02920

(401) 461 – 5811

Email: ascensioncranston@verizon.net



- Direct financial assistance
- Only when funds are available

Direct financial assistance during a hardship when funding is available.

McAuley House

<http://www.mcauleyri.org/>

622 Elmwood Avenue

Providence, RI 02907

(401) 941 – 9013

Fax: (401) 941 – 6862



- Direct financial assistance
- Rent assistance
- Prescription drug assistance
- Transportation assistance
- Only when funds are available

Assistance with a portion of a guest's rent in times of financial difficulty. Prescription drug assistance for those without medical coverage and other help like transportation assistance.

Salvation Army

<https://ctri.salvationarmy.org/sne/providence>

386 Broad Street Providence, RI 02907

(401) 831 – 1119



- Direct financial assistance
- Basic needs assistance
- Eligibility conditions apply

<https://ctri.salvationarmy.org/sne/pawtucket>

102 High St Pawtucket, RI 02860

(401) 723-9533

<https://ctri.salvationarmy.org/sne/newport>

51 Memorial Blvd. Newport, RI 02840

(401) 846-3234

Assistance including food, rental assistance, clothing, funds for paying utility and heating bills, and seasonal programs. Eligibility conditions apply.



The Jonnycake Center of Westerly

<http://jonnycake.org/>

23 Industrial Drive Westerly, RI 02891

(401) 377 – 8069

Mondays 12 – 3

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays 9 – 12

Thursdays 9 – 12 and 3 – 6



- Basic needs assistance
- Thrift store
- Eligibility conditions apply

Access to social services and assistance programs. Food pantry. Thrift store.

The Tomorrow Fund

<http://tomorrowfund.org/>

593 Eddy Street Providence, RI 02903

(401) 444 – 8811

Fax: (401) 444 – 4542

Mon – Fri 9 AM – 5 PM



- Emotional and financial support
- Children and families of children with cancer
- Hasbro Children's Hospital

Provides emotional and financial support program for children with cancer, ages birth to 21, who are treated on The Tomorrow Fund Clinic at Hasbro Children's Hospital.

Turning Around Ministries (TAM)

<http://www.tamri.org/contactus.html>

40 Dr. Marcus F. Wheatland Boulevard

Newport, RI 02840

(401) 846 – 8264

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 9am - 1pm

other times might be available by appointment.



- Housing
- Food
- Clothing
- Referrals to a range of social services

Faith-based community outreach program designed to offer after-care services to previously incarcerated persons who are returning to Newport County from the Rhode Island Adult Correctional Institution (ACI). Also help the homeless, as well as persons with legal/social issues.



Department of Human Services - Supplemental Nutritional Program

<http://www.dhs.ri.gov/Programs/SNAPApplyNow.php>
DHS Call Center: 1 (855) MY-RIDHD (1 – 855 – 697 – 4347)
P.O. Box 8709, Cranston, RI 02920-8787
Mon – Fri 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM



➤ Financial assistance to purchase food

Sign up for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (formerly known as ‘food stamps’.)

SNAP Outreach Project

<https://web.uri.edu/endhunger/history/>
1 (866) 306 – 0270



➤ Financial assistance to purchase food

Provides additional information and assistance in signing up for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (formerly known as ‘food stamps’.)

Rhode Island Community Food Bank (and local Food Banks)

<http://rifoodbank.org>
(401) 942 – MEAL (6325)
Email: contactus@rifoodbank.org
Mon – Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM



➤ Food pantry
➤ Other support services available

No cost food pantry.

LOCAL FOOD PANTRY LOCATOR: <http://rifoodbank.org/find-food/>



Executive Office of Health & Human Services

<http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/>
Hazard Building, 74 West Road, Cranston, RI 02920
(401) 462 – 5274

Information and enrollment for Medicaid and other social services and programs.



- Medicaid enrollment
- Other social services

Health Source Rhode Island

<https://healthsourceri.com/>
401 Wampanoag Trail, Riverside, RI 02915
(855) 840 – 4774
Mon – Fri 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM

Web resource that connects Rhode Islanders to a range of health insurance options, including no or low-cost insurance options based on income and eligibility.



- Assisted enrollment in range of health insurance options
- Low/No cost options based on eligibility

The POINT- Rhode Island's Aging and Disability Resource Center

<https://uwri.org/get-help-2-1-1/the-point/>
50 Valley Street Providence RI 02909
(401) 462 – 4444
Mon, Wed & Fri 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM
Tue & Thu 8:30 AM – 8:00 PM
Sat 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Provides information, referrals, and help getting started with programs and services for seniors, adults with disabilities, and their caregivers, in partnership with United Way 211.




- Referral Information
- Guidance and Support
- Seniors, disabled adults, and their caregivers



Rhode Island Free Clinic


<http://www.rifreeclinic.org/>
655 Broad Street 3rd Floor
Providence, RI 02907
(401) 274 – 6347 x 314
Fax: (401) 274 – 6562

-  ➤ No cost healthcare for individuals without insurance

Comprehensive medical care and preventive health services for adults who do not have health insurance and cannot afford it. Care is provided through a network of volunteer medical providers working with academic, medical, and community partners.

Clinica Esperanza – Hope Clinic

<http://www.aplacetobehealthy.org/>
60 Valley St, Suite 104
Providence, RI 02909
(401) 347 – 9093

-  ➤ No cost healthcare for individuals without insurance
- English and Spanish speaking providers available

Culturally attuned medical care to uninsured adults living in Rhode Island. English- and Spanish-speaking providers are always available.



Blackstone Valley Community Health Care

<http://www.bvchc.org/>
 39 East Avenue Pawtucket, RI 02860
 (401) 729 – 5239
 Mon – Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
 Sat 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM

➤ Low cost primary and preventative healthcare

High quality, low cost healthcare for patients in the community.

Family Health Services of Cranston – CCAP

<http://comcap.org/services/health-dental>
 1090 Cranston Street Cranston, RI 02920
 (401) 943 – 1981
 Mon & Tue 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM
 Wed – Fri 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
 Alternating Sat 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM



➤ Low cost primary and preventative healthcare

High quality, low cost healthcare for patients in the community.

Family Health Service of Coventry – CCAP

<http://comcap.org/services/health-dental>
 191 MacArthur Boulevard
 Coventry, RI 02816
 Mon 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM
 Tue 12:00 PM – 8:00 PM
 Wed – Fri 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
 Sat 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM



➤ Low cost primary and preventative healthcare

High quality, low cost healthcare for patients in the community.



Primary Care Partners Health Center, Warwick – CCAP

<http://comcap.org/services/health-dental>
2756 Post Road Suite 103
Warwick, RI 02886
(401) 384 – 6007
Mon Wed & Fri 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Tues & Thu 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM



➤ Low cost primary and preventative healthcare

High quality, low cost healthcare for patients in the community.

Thundermist Health Centers

<https://www.thundermisthealth.org/default.aspx>

450 Clinton Street
Woonsocket, RI 02895
401.767.4100

The Cotton Shed
186 Providence Street,
West Warwick, RI 02893
401.615.2800

1 River St
Wakefield, RI 02879
401.783.0523



➤ Low cost primary and preventative healthcare

High quality, low cost healthcare for patients serving three communities -- Woonsocket, West Warwick, and South County.



Amos House (assistance with dental care)

<http://www.amoshouse.com/>
 460 Pine Street
 Providence, RI 02907
 (401) 272 – 0220
 Email: info@amoshouse.com



➤ Low cost dental care services

Blackstone Valley Community Health Care

<http://www.bvchc.org/>
 39 East Avenue
 Pawtucket, RI 02860
 (401) 729 – 5239
 Mon – Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
 Sat 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM



➤ Low cost dental care services

Dental Hygiene Clinic – CCRI (\$20.00 fee for service)

<https://www.ccri.edu/dental/clinic/>
 Open during school year (September to May)
 (401) 333 – 7250
 Mon – Fri 7:30 AM – 5:00 PM
 Tue & Thu 7:30 AM – 8:00 PM



➤ Low cost dental care services

EBCAP Dental center

<https://www.ebcap.org/HealthDental/DentalServices/tabid/469/Default.aspx>
 19 Broadway
 Newport, RI 02840
 (401) 845 – 0564
 Mon & Wed – Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
 Tue 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM



➤ Low cost dental care services



Everett C. Wilcox Health Center – CCAP

<http://comcap.org/services/health-dental>
226 Buttonwoods Avenue
Warwick, RI 02886
Mon & Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Tue & Wed 8:00 AM – 6:30 PM
Thu 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM
(401) 732 – 9090



➤ Low cost dental care services

Family Health Services of Cranston – CCAP

<http://comcap.org/services/health-dental>
1090 Cranston Street
Cranston, RI 02920
(401) 942 – 4867
Mon Tue & Thu 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM
Wed 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM



➤ Low cost dental care services

Providence Community Health Centers Dental Clinic

<http://www.providencechc.org/Locations/PCHC-Dental-Clinic>
335 R Prairie Avenue 3rd Floor,
Providence, RI 02905

(401) 444 – 0430
Mon Wed & Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Tue & Thu 8:00 AM – 7:00 PM Sat 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM



➤ Low cost dental care services



Thundermist Health Centers

<https://www.thundermisthealth.org/default.aspx>

25 John A. Cummings Way, 4th Floor
Woonsocket, RI 02895
401.767.4161

1219 Main St
West Warwick, RI 02893
401.615.2804

1 River St
Wakefield, RI 02879
401.783.0523

High quality, low cost dental care for patients serving three communities -- Woonsocket, West Warwick, and South County.



➤ Low cost dental care services



Family Health Services of Cranston – CCAP

<http://comcap.org/services/health-dental>
1090 Cranston Street
Cranston, RI 02920
(401) 467 – 9610

- Low cost mental health services counseling
- Licensed clinical social workers

Thundermist Health Centers

<https://www.thundermisthealth.org/default.aspx>

450 Clinton Street
Woonsocket, RI 02895
401.767.4100

The Cotton Shed
186 Providence Street,
West Warwick, RI 02893
401.615.2800

1 River St
Wakefield, RI 02879
401.783.0523

- Low cost mental and behavioral health services counseling

High quality, low cost dental care for patients serving three communities -- Woonsocket, West Warwick, and South County.



The Providence Center

www.providencecenter.org

528-530 North Main Street
Providence, RI 02904
401-276-4020

520 Hope Street
Providence, RI 02906
401-276-4155

135 Prairie Avenue
Providence, RI 02903
401-415-8844



Low cost mental and
behavioral health
services counseling

Low cost behavioral health services – both mental health and substance use disorder



Amos House

<http://www.amoshouse.com/>

460 Pine Street

Providence, RI 02907

(401) 272 – 0220

Email: info@amoshouse.com



- Eye exams
- Eyeglasses

Assistance with eye exam and eye eyeglasses.

Blackstone Valley Community Health Care

<http://www.bvchc.org/>

39 East Avenue

Pawtucket, RI 02860

(401) 729 – 5239

Mon – Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Sat 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM



- Low cost eyecare services



Blackstone Valley Community Health Care

<http://www.bvchc.org/>

39 East Avenue

Pawtucket, RI 02860

(401) 722 – 0081

Mon – Fri 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Sat 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM



- Prenatal Intake, Perinatal & Postpartum Care
- Gynecological exams
- Pap smears
- Other women's health services

Low-cost comprehensive, prevention-focused women's health care.



Rhode Island Housing

www.rihousing.com

44 Washington Street
Providence, RI

(401) 457 – 1234

Rhode Island Housing uses its resources to provide low-interest loans, grants, education and assistance to help Rhode Islanders find, rent, buy, build and keep a good home



- Help Center
- Home buyer education
- First-time homebuyer services
- Emergency housing assistance funds
- Tax lien assistance
- Family self-sufficiency

Rhode Island Housing: Rental Resource Guide

<https://www.rihousing.com/sp.cfm?pageid=614>

Rental Programs and Assistance
Deeply Subsidized Apartments
Rent Restricted Homes
Public Housing Authorities
Emergency Shelters
Other services



- Programs and financial assistance for apartments and rental property

Applicants need to contact each housing authority separately or each housing complex to apply for section 8. Public housing applications need to go through housing authorities as well.

SouthCoast Fair Housing

<http://southcoastfairhousing.org/>

1005 Main Street, Suite 1210
Pawtucket, RI 02860

(401) 285 – 2550 TTY: 1 (800) 439 – 2370 and for Spanish 1 (866) 930 - 9592

Other languages are accessible as well.

Accessible entrance please use 999 Main Street



- Investigate potential housing discrimination

SCFH works to eliminate housing discrimination by providing direct client services, education about fair housing, and investigating potential housing discrimination.



Homeowners at risk of Foreclosure

RI Housing Help Center

<https://www.rihousing.com/sp.cfm?pageid=469>

(401) 457 – 1130

Guidance, counseling, and assistance for families at risk of foreclosure

Hardest Hit Fund

<http://www.hhfri.org/>

43 Jefferson Blvd, Warwick, RI 02888

(401) 277 – 1500

Financial assistance based on the homeowner's unique situation:

- Help to make mortgage payment while unemployed or underemployed
- Help with mortgage arrearage which occurred as a result of financial hardship
- Help to make an immediate payment, such as unpaid property taxes
- Help to obtain a loan modification from lender
- Assistance with relocation
- Help reverse mortgage holders

DARE

<http://www.daretowin.org/>

340 Lockwood St.

Providence, RI 02907

(401) 351 – 6960

Community organization formed to address the issue of foreclosure including:

- Canvassing homes scheduled for foreclosure.
 - Making sure homeowners and renters facing foreclosure know their rights and understand the foreclosure process.
 - Organizing to keep families in their homes.
 - Advocacy
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Amos House

<http://www.amoshouse.com/>

460 Pine Street

Providence, RI 02907

(401) 272 – 0220

Email: info@amoshouse.com

- Shelter
- Support services
- Emergency Shelter
- Soup Kitchen

Amos House is a leading social service agency in Rhode Island, managing the largest soup kitchen in the state, providing social services to over 15,000 people a year and housing nearly 165 men, women and children a night. More than 500 adults have graduated from its training programs.

Crossroads

<http://www.crossroadsri.org/>

160 Broad St., Providence, RI 02903

(401) 521 - 2255 Email: information@crossroadsri.org

- Shelter
- Support services
- Emergency Shelter
- Domestic Violence Support

Crossroads Rhode Island is the largest provider of housing and services to the homeless in Rhode Island, helping homeless or at-risk individuals and families secure stable housing by engaging them in a range of services, including housing, emergency shelter, case management, referrals and education and employment programs

Rhode Island Coalition for the Homeless

<http://www.rihomeless.org/>

1070 Main Street Suite 304 Pawtucket, RI 02860

(401) 721 – 5685 Fax: (401) 721 – 5688

Email: info@rihomeless.org

- Family / emergency shelter

Individuals and families looking for assistance can check <https://www.rihomeless.org/looking-for-help> for the most up to date information on resources and shelters.

Families with children in need of temporary shelter must call the Coordinated Entry System, also known as CES to access family shelter. CES staff will conduct a diversion assessment and try to locate shelter for your family for the night.

CES Hotline - (401) 277-4316 (Currently for FAMILIES ONLY)



Rhode Island Homeless Street Sheet

<https://www.rihomeless.org/looking-for-help>
Or Web Search “RI Homeless Street Sheet”

The Street Sheet survival guide provides information about food, shelter and other emergency services to those who are homeless and to community agencies

House of Hope Community Development Corporation

<http://thehouseofhopecdc.org/>
3194 Post Road
Warwick, RI 02886
(401) 463 – 3324



- Emergency housing
- Support and Counseling

House of Hope Community Development Corporation is a non-profit in Warwick, Rhode Island, with a mission to prevent and end homelessness in the state and end the personal and social trauma of homelessness.



Capital Good Fund

<https://capitalgoodfund.org/en/>
 22 A Street
 Providence, RI 02907
 1 (866) 584 – 3651



➤ Loans for costs associated with citizenship

The Capital Good Fund is a nonprofit financial institution that, among other services, provides Citizenship Loans that lend money to pay for the costs associated with citizenship. Also offers Financial Coaching.

Catholic Immigration Network, Inc.

<https://cliniclegal.org/>
 National Office
 8757 Georgia Avenue, Suite 850
 Silver Spring, MD 20910
 (301) 565 – 4800
 Fax: (301) 565 – 4824



➤ Legal services for indigent and low-income immigrants

CLINIC offers legal services to indigent and low-income immigrants. CLINIC and its member agencies serve vulnerable and low-income immigrants without reference to their race, religion, gender, ethnic group or distinguishing characteristics.

Dorcas International Institute of Rhode Island

<http://www.diiri.org/>
 645 Elmwood Ave., Providence, RI 02907
 401-784-8600



➤ Translation and interpretation
 ➤ Citizenship and immigration services
 ➤ Employment
 ➤ Education
 ➤ Support services

Dorcas International's Citizenship & Immigration Services Program offers low-cost immigration legal services, including naturalization, permanent residence applications, family petitions, temporary protected status, deferred action, unlawful presence waivers, asylum, deportation defense, and legal services for victims of crime.



Diocese of Providence - Immigration and Refugee Services

<https://dioceseofprovidence.org/immigration-refugee-services>

184 Broad Street
Providence, RI 02907
(401) 421 – 7833



➤ Comprehensive
immigration and
citizenship services

Services: Provides assistance in the following immigration procedures (list is not all inclusive):

Application for Naturalization
Application for permanent residency
Family visa petitions and visa lottery
Religious worker petitions
Political asylum application
Employment authorization and renewal applications
TPS registration and renewal for certain countries
Citizenship preparation classes
General immigration consultations
Representation before Immigration/Naturalization Service
Representation before Immigration court

Roger Williams University Law Clinic

<https://law.rwu.edu/faculty/deborah-gonzalez>

Ten Metacom Avenue
Bristol, RI 02809

Deborah Gonzalez (401) 254 – 4887 / (401) 254 – 4500
Email: dgonzalez@rwu.edu



➤ Legal services for
detained immigrants

An immigration clinic for detained immigrants.

United States Immigration and Naturalization Service

<https://www.uscis.gov/>


National Customer Service 1 (800) 375 – 5283

People with disabilities: (TTY) 1 (800) 767 – 1833 (VRS) 1 (877) 709 – 5797



American Civil Liberties Union of Rhode Island


<http://www.riaclu.org>
 128 Dorrance St., Ste. 400,
 Providence, RI 02903
 (401) 831 – 7171 Email: info@riaclu.org

-  ➤ Civil rights
- Civil liberties
- No/low cost legal assistance

The ACLU provides legal assistance on cases that involve violations of civil liberties and civil rights guaranteed by the Constitution and related laws, such as rights to due process, equal protection, religious freedom, privacy, speech, association, and rights to be free from unreasonable searches and seizures and from cruel and unusual punishment. Please be advised, as a nonprofit organization with limited resources, the ACLU is only able to provide assistance in a small number of cases.

Rhode Island Bar Association


<https://www.ribar.com/default.aspx>
 41 Sharpe Drive
 Cranston, RI 02920
 (401) 421 – 5740
 Email: info@ribar.com

-  ➤ Reduced free referrals available to income-eligible clients

RIBA provides referrals to attorneys who will to discuss legal problems. Reduced fee referrals are available to income eligible clients. All clients qualify for free half hour consultation, any other fees for additional legal services subject to arrangement between client and attorney.

Center for Justice

<https://centerforjustice.org>
 1 Empire Plaza, Suite 410
 Providence, RI 02903
 (401) 491-1101

-  ➤ Legal services for low income individuals
- Housing and tenant issues
- Utility shutoff issues
- Labor and wage issues

Center for Justice provides free civil legal assistance to low-income Rhode Islanders, engages in key impact litigation affecting the rights and wellbeing of thousands across the State, and conducts legislative and policy advocacy on behalf of communities.



Rhode Island Disability Law Center

<http://www.ridlc.org/>
275 Westminster Street, Suite 401,
Providence, RI 02903-3434
(401) 831 – 3150 Fax: (401) 274 – 5568
Mon – Fri 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM



➤ Legal service and advocacy services for persons with developmental disabilities

RIDLC provides advocacy services for persons with developmental disabilities, persons labeled mentally ill and other persons with disabilities. Legal rights information provided as necessary. Accessible office; can travel to clients. Information and referral services provided if case cannot be accepted for individual representation.

Rhode Island Legal Services

<http://www.rils.org/>
56 Pine Street 4th Floor
Providence, RI 02903
(401) 271 – 2652 Email: ncararra@rils.org



➤ Comprehensive legal services for low and moderate-income individuals

Newport Office
50 Washington
Newport, RI 02840
(401) 846 – 2264 Email: ncararra@rils.org

A non-profit law firm representing clients in matters involving public benefits, health, welfare, family law, domestic violence, education, consumer, tax and employment law matters. RILS is a major provider of free civil legal assistance to low income clients in the State of Rhode Island. A client centered program that seeks to expand its outreach through a collaborative approach to building a "justice community". The agency concentrates on the types of cases that tend to stabilize the family unit in a safe environment. Services range from advice and counsel to direct representation in complex litigation.



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 128 Dorrance St., Ste. 400,
 Providence, RI 02903
 (401) 831 – 7171 Email: info@riaclu.org



- Offender rights
- Civil rights
- Conditions of confinement

Legal services related to offender rights and conditions of confinement.

Anchor Recovery Community Center

<http://www.anchorrecovery.org/>
 249 Main St., Pawtucket, RI 02860
 (401) 721 – 5100 Email: Info@AnchorRecovery.org



- Support for individuals in substance abuse recovery

The Anchor Recovery Community Centers are a safe, supportive environment for people in all stages of recovery.

Caritas Women's Program

<http://www.211ri.org/find/Details.aspx?OrgId=32216>
 166 Pawtucket Ave. Pawtucket, RI 02860
 (401) 722 – 4644 Email: jberry@gatewayhealth.org




- Support for women in substance abuse recovery

Independent non-profit treatment agency for adult women before joining the Caritas organization in 1998. Located in Pawtucket, Eastman House is a 90 day, 18-bed residential treatment facility for adult women. It serves nearly 90 high-risk women and their families each year.



Crossroads


<http://www.crossroadsri.org/>
160 Broad St., Providence, RI 02903
(401) 521 - 2255 Email: information@crossroadsri.org

-  ➤ Shelter
- Support services
- Emergency Shelter
- Domestic Violence Support

Crossroads Rhode Island is the largest provider of housing and services to the homeless in Rhode Island, helping homeless or at-risk individuals and families secure stable housing by engaging them in a range of services, including housing, emergency shelter, case management, referrals and education and employment programs

House of Hope Community Development Corporation


<http://thehouseofhopecdc.org/>
3194 Post Road
Warwick, RI 02886
(401) 463 – 3324

-  ➤ Emergency housing
- Support and Counseling

House of Hope Community Development Corporation is a non-profit in Warwick, Rhode Island, with a mission to prevent and end homelessness in the state and end the personal and social trauma of homelessness, including services for ex-offenders.

Justice Assistance

<http://justiceassistance.org/>
943 Park Avenue Cranston, RI 02910
(401) 781 – 7000 Fax: (401) 781 – 1062

-  ➤ Counseling and referral services for ex-offenders
- Diversion services for first offenders
- Restitution and victim services

Justice Assistance provides counseling and referrals for adult age 18+, ex-offenders, diversion for first offenders, restitution and victim services. Develops and implements innovative programs both within and as alternatives to the present criminal justice system.



Norfolk House

<http://www.gatewayhealth.org/substance.asp>
 58 Hamlet Ave.
 Woonsocket, RI 02895
 (401) 765 – 4040 Email: dtestoni@gatewayhealth.org



- Support for individuals in substance abuse recovery
- Focus on individuals re-entering from prison

Norfolk House is a transitional recovery home for women without children. Residents must be substance free, have completed some form of treatment or re-entering the community from prison, and be committed to their recovery. The length of stay is limited to two years.

Northern Western Community Reentry

<http://www.communitycareri.org/Home.aspx>
 Community Care Alliance, P.O. Box 1700,
 Woonsocket, RI 02895
 (401) 235 – 7129
 Email: JDavis@CommunityCareRI.org



- Comprehensive re-entry services, case management

90 days pre-release and 60 days post release, Regional Reentry Resource Coordinators work with the inmates to assist in obtaining documents (e.g., State ID, Social Security Card), assist with appointments for (e.g., mental health treatment, drug treatment, HIV/AIDS, education, employment, legal assistance), provide information for (e.g., independent living arrangements, residential substance abuse treatment) and work closely with probation and parole, family members, service providers and local agencies.

Open Doors

<http://www.opendoorsri.org/>
 485 Plainfield St., Providence, RI 02909
 (401) 781 – 5808 Email: admin@opendoorsri.org
 Mon – Thu 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM



- Comprehensive re-entry services, case management for ex-offenders and families

OpenDoors is a non-profit located in the Silver Lake Neighborhood of Providence that provides assistance to those that have been touched by the criminal justice system. OpenDoors case managers and employment experts can help them navigate the difficult waters of making better choices and putting the past behind.



Recovery Net

<https://providencecenter.org/>

528 North Main St.

Providence, RI 02904

(401) 528 – 0123 Email: rpritchard@provctr.org



- Support for individuals in mental health or substance abuse recovery
- Comprehensive re-entry services, case management for ex-offenders and families

Recovery Net is a 12-month post-release program designed to meet the needs of men and women who have mental health and substance abuse problems and are re-entering the community from the Rhode Island Department of Corrections. The Providence Center provides programming on location at the Rhode Island Adult Correctional Institute that helps inmates learn new skills and behaviors that support their recovery from substance abuse and helps them to avoid future criminal behavior.

RI Communities for Addiction Recovery Efforts, Inc.

<http://ricares.org/>

134 Matthewson St,

Providence, RI, 02903

(401) 475 – 2960

Email: info@ricares.org



- Peer-based education advocacy and support for substance abuse recovery

RICARES is a grassroots effort focused on creating a socially just community for all Rhode Islanders impacted by alcohol and other substance use disorder(s). We certify recovery housing, provide certified peer recovery specialists, advocate and educate. We connect community partners and people in recovery to present opportunities for engagement and to challenge stigma. RICARES envisions a Rhode Island where recovery is a normal lifestyle and our communities provide accessible, affordable support services to support recovery practices.

Rhode Islanders Sponsoring Education

<http://www.riseonline.org/>

145 Prairie Ave., 1st Fl.,

Providence, RI 02905

(401) 421 – 2010

Email: jksye@riseonline.org



- Scholarships and mentoring for children of current or ex-offenders

RISE provides scholarships and mentoring to children of currently and formerly incarcerated parents to break the cycle of poverty, crime and addiction that too often threatens them.



The Blessing Way

<http://theblessingway.org/>
70 Pemberton St., Providence, RI
(401) 709 – 3697 Email: blessingwayinfo@yahoo.com



- Spiritual support, guidance and counseling to ex-offenders returning to Providence

The Blessing Way is a faith-based, social service agency which provides spiritual support and guidance to men and women who are returning to the Providence, Rhode Island area from prison or drug treatment.

The Salvation Army Southern New England-Providence Adult Rehabilitation Center (ARC)

<http://ctri.salvationarmy.org/SNE/>
201 Pitman St., Providence, RI 02906
(401) 421 – 5270



- Spiritual social, and emotional support, guidance and counseling to adults re-entering society

The Salvation Army's Adult Rehabilitation Centers (ARCs) provide spiritual, social, and emotional assistance for men and women who have lost the ability to cope with their problems and provide for themselves. A seven-phase program provides residents with the opportunity to regain self-respect and acquire the moral and spiritual principles of conduct and responsible work habits that will enable them to re-enter society as productive members.

Turning Around Ministries (TAM)

<http://www.tamri.org/contactus.html>
40 Dr. Marcus F. Wheatland Boulevard
Newport, RI 02840
(401) 846 – 8264
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 9am - 1pm
other times might be available by appointment.



- Housing
- Food
- Clothing
- Referrals to a range of social services

Faith-based community outreach program designed to offer after-care services to previously incarcerated persons who are returning to Newport County from the Rhode Island Adult Correctional Institution (ACI). Also help the homeless, as well as persons with legal/social issues.



Department of Behavioral Healthcare, Developmental Disabilities & Hospitals

http://www.bhddh.ri.gov/substance_use/index.php

Access to treatment providers, recovery programs, overdose prevention services, recovery assistance, and other information.



- Prevention
- Treatment
- Overdose information
- Recovery programs

For Locating Treatment Options:

Addiction Recovery Institute

<http://www.methadone.com/>

Department of Behavioral Healthcare, Developmental Disabilities and Hospitals

<http://www.bhddh.ri.gov/SA/application.php>

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Leadership Council of RI

<https://www.sumhlc.org/>

The Providence Center

www.providencecenter.org

528-530 North Main Street

Providence, RI 02904

401-276-4020

520 Hope Street

Providence, RI 02906

401-276-4155

135 Prairie Avenue

Providence, RI 02903

401-415-8844



- Low cost mental and behavioral health services counseling

Low cost behavioral health services – both mental health and substance use disorder



Recovery Net

<https://providencecenter.org/>

528 North Main St.

Providence, RI 02904

(401) 528 – 0123 Email: rpritchard@provctr.org



- Support for individuals in mental health or substance abuse recovery
- Comprehensive re-entry services, case management for ex-offenders and families

Recovery Net is a 12-month post-release program designed to meet the needs of men and women who have mental health and substance abuse problems and are re-entering the community from the Rhode Island Department of Corrections. The Providence Center provides programming on location at the Rhode Island Adult Correctional Institute that helps inmates learn new skills and behaviors that support their recovery from substance abuse and helps them to avoid future criminal behavior.

Rhode Island Communities for Addiction Recovery Efforts, Inc.

<http://ricares.org/>

243 Main St., Pawtucket, RI 02860

(401) 475 – 2960

Email: info@ricares.org



- Peer-based education advocacy and support for substance abuse recovery

RICARES is the Recovery Community Organization (RCO) in the State of Rhode Island. RCOs are independent, non-profit organizations that are led and governed by people in recovery, their family members, friends, and allies. While each RCO is attentive to the needs of the community in which they function, all of us focus on the core purposes of education, advocacy, and peer based recovery support.



Medical Transportation Management

www.eohhs.ri.gov/Consumer/TransportationServices.aspx
1 (855) 330-9131



- Transportation for Medicaid beneficiaries and individuals over 60 to medical appointments
- Eligibility conditions apply

Transportation services for Medicaid beneficiaries and individuals over the age of 60 who do not have access to transportation for medical appointments and certain designated services. Medicaid beneficiaries who can use public transportation or can access rides from family and friends should do that first.

Rhode Island Public Transportation

<https://www.ripta.com/>
Schedule Information: (401) 781-9400
Customer Service: (401) 784-9500 ext. 2012



- Purchase tickets, passes
- View transit schedule
- View transit maps

Rhode Island's public transit provider.

Rhode Island Public Transportation – Van Pool

<https://www.ripta.com/vanpool>
401-784-9575
Commuter@ripta.com



- Commuter group provided a van by Enterprise to use for work-related travel
- Some conditions apply

Subsidized van pool program.

The Ride Program

www.ripta.com/ride-1
Information: (401) 4619760
Customer Support (401) 781-9400



- Transportation for disabled individuals
- Transportation for elderly individuals
- Eligibility conditions apply

The Ride program provides transportation for individuals with disabilities and seniors based on eligibility requirements of several state programs. Certification for each program is required and is performed by the agency that funds the program. Reservations are required.



Office of Veterans Affairs

<http://www.vets.ri.gov/>
(401) 921-2119



- Access to benefits
- Access to services
- Guidance and advocacy

Rhode Island's state office for veteran matters. Provides access to support services, employment, education, family services, and more

Operation Stand Down - RI

<http://osdri.org/>
401-383-4730



- Comprehensive services and supports for veterans and their families
- Focus on serving homeless veterans

Operation Stand Down Rhode Island's mission is to help veterans secure stable housing and employment as well as other assistance according to individual needs. Comprehensive Services for veterans and their families. Particular focus on homeless veterans

Providence Veterans Hospital

<https://www.providence.va.gov/>
1-844-MyVA311



- Comprehensive healthcare and services for Rhode Island veterans

Providence VA Medical Center provides health care services to Veterans throughout Rhode Island and Eastern Massachusetts.

Veterans Inc.

<http://www.veteransinc.org/>
(800) 482-2565



- Comprehensive services and supports for veterans and their families

Comprehensive services and supports for veterans and their families. Offices in: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

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